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Application Number	09/381,480
Filing Date	September 16, 1999
First Named Inventor	Chee, Mark
Examiner Name	Chakrabarti, A.
Group Art Unit	1655
Attorney Docket No.	18547030530

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- Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
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- Applicant claims small entity status.
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- See 37 CFR 1.27

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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

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101	710	201	355	Utility filing fee	
106	320	206	160	Design filing fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	

**SUBTOTAL (1)**

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**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
20**	X		
Independent Claims	-3**	X	
Multiple Dependent	X		

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2)**

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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	110
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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**SUBTOTAL (3)**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -  
EXAMINING GROUP 1655

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Attorney Docket No.: 18547-030530US  
Client Reference No.: 3047

On March 8, 2001

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By: Paula Paul Hurley

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Chee, M.

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For: ITERATIVE RESEQUENCING

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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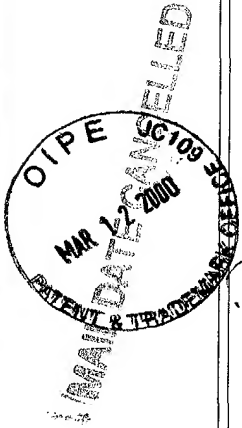
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In response to the Office Action mailed November 8, 2000 reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

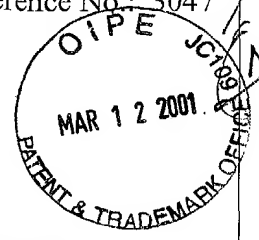
Remarks

Claims 1-2, 5-6 and 15 stand rejected as anticipated by Cook. The Examiner takes the view that Cook teaches a method of analyzing a target nucleic acid including all of the steps recited in present claim 1. The Examiner relies particularly on Example 40, Table 9 and claim 1 of the Cook reference. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Cook discusses methods of selecting oligonucleotides principally intended for use as therapeutics. These methods are illustrated by Example 40 on which the Examiner relies. In this Example, the intended target is the double stranded gag pol loop whose sequences is shown in Fig. 6 of the Cook patent. The idea is to select oligonucleotides that



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